



# NRA BASIC PISTOL FOR WOMEN

**April 18 – April 19, 2008**

Friday the 18th, 7 PM-10 PM

Saturday the 19th, 9AM-5PM

## **Learn How to Shoot Safely and Accurately in a Female-Friendly Environment!**

The Monocacy Pistol Club in Frederick, MD is hosting an NRA Certified Basic Pistol class geared towards women. The class is taught by NRA Certified Instructors at a private outdoor range in Frederick that specializes in pistols. You do not need to own a gun to attend this course. All firearms and equipment will be provided. An NRA Certificate in Basic Pistol will be awarded upon successful completion. The State of Maryland requires a firearm safety course before purchasing a handgun; this Basic Pistol certificate fulfills that requirement.

The classroom portion will be held at Keller Williams Real Estate Office, 7450B New Tech. Way in Frederick on Friday the 18th from 7PM to 10PM, and Saturday from 9AM until completion. The range exercises will be held at Monocacy Saturday afternoon, rain or shine, after we have completed the classroom portion.

### **You Will Learn**

- **Firearm safety**—Become a safe, responsible firearms owner/user by learning and practicing these simple, proven rules.
- **Firearm operation**—Learn how a gun works, identify its major parts, and understand the differences in the various types available.
- **Safe gun handling**—Practice proper loading and unloading techniques. Learn how to make a gun ready for action or make it safe for storage.
- **Ammunition**—Learn how ammunition works and how to handle malfunctions. Learn how to identify the right ammunition for your gun and select the right ammunition for your needs.
- **Marksmanship**—Hit your target by learning and practicing the proper fundamentals.
- **Care and cleaning**—Learn the proper way to protect your investment and keep your guns working for a lifetime.
- **Buying the right gun**—Understand the criteria needed to select the right gun for you and for the job.
- **Safe storage**—Learn how to safely store firearms. Learn what works and what doesn't work.
- **Firearms laws**—Learn about key laws governing purchase, ownership, and transportation of firearms.

No ammunition is allowed in the classroom. A parent or guardian must accompany children under 18. Class size is limited to 12 students and advanced registration is necessary; I have had a number of women contact me about offering this class and anticipate it to fill quickly. The cost for attending this fun, interactive class is \$75.00 and must be paid in advance. The classroom and range areas are remote from easy food access, and the lunch break on Saturday lasts 30 minutes. Bring a bag lunch and whatever water or soda you wish to drink. Please contact Etta Saunders at 301-990-0901 or [shootstar@yahoo.com](mailto:shootstar@yahoo.com) to sign up!

For directions to Monocacy Pistol Club see [www.monocacypistolclub.com](http://www.monocacypistolclub.com). *This class is conducted as a Public Service by the Monocacy Pistol Club and the Rockville Chapter of the Izaak Walton League of America.*